

**REPORT OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION SUBCOMMITTEE  
OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

**February 18, 2014**

The Honorable,  
The Finance Committee of  
The Board of Commissioners  
of Cook County,

**SECTION 1**

**ATTENDANCE:**

**Present:** Chairman Schneider, Vice Chairman Reyes, Commissioners Fritchey and Moore  
(4)

**Absent:** Commissioner Tobolski (1)

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the Finance Committee of the Board of Commissioners met pursuant to notice Tuesday, February 18, 2014 at 11:30 A.M., in Room 569 of the County Building, 118 N. Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved that the Workers' Compensation Subcommittee convene in Executive Session to consider matters of pending Workers' Compensation. The motion carried.**

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved that the Workers' Compensation Subcommittee convene in Open Session to consider matters of pending Workers' Compensation. The motion carried.**

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey, moved Approval of the cases over \$25,000.00. The motion carried.**

1. **DECISIONS**

**County Government**

**BICKEL, JOHN**

**12 WC 12417**

**(14 IWCC 0008)**

**\$70,867.66**

The Petitioner injured his right knee while he was participating in riot training exercises..

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**LAWRENCE, LARRY**

**12WC22278**

**\$26,807.26**

The Petitioner was participating in a training class when a co-worker fell on top of his right ankle.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**Health Facilities**

**SAMUEL, ROXANNE**

**11 WC 42752**

**\$28,309.47**

The Petitioner slipped on water in a washroom and fell, injuring her left wrist.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

2. **SETTLEMENTS**

**County Government**

**ALONZO, EVELYN**

**03 WC 41488**

**\$44,214.56**

Repetitive trauma to hands and thumbs.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**BOENS, KEVIN**

**12 WC 39793**

**\$36,159.23**

The Petitioner was on duty when he tripped over a construction board, injuring his left hand.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**GUZMAN, CHRISTINE**

**10 WC 12126**

**\$38,380.94**

The Petitioner tripped on broken floor tiles injuring her left knee, ankle and foot.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**KEITH, MARVIE**

**11 WC 01946**

**\$57,942.05**

The Petitioner slipped on water, twisted his right knee and fell to the floor, injuring his right knee.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**SIMON, JENNIFER**

**11 WC 46965**

**\$70,996.03**

The Petitioner was injured in a struggle with a detainee.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**SWICK, RONALD**

**09 WC 17207**

**\$41,071.01**

The Petitioner slipped on ice while cleaning graffiti off of a wall, injuring his right shoulder.

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by Commissioner Fritchey moved Approval. The motion carried.**

**Vice Chairman Reyes seconded by, Commissioner Fritchey moved to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Workers' Compensation Subcommittee of the Finance  
Committee



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Chairman/Timothy O. Schneider, Chairman

Attest:

  
Matthew B. DeLeon, Secretary

\*\* The audio recording for this meeting is available from the Office of the Secretary to the Board,  
118 North Clark Street, Room 567, Chicago, IL 60602.